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TAGS: NATO, MARR, ETEL

SUBJECT: SACLANT SLICE XXX - MSK (MULTICHANNEL) SUBMARINE  
BROADCAST TERMINAL EQUIPMENT

REFS: (A) CINCEASTLANT 271522Z APR 78 (NOTAL)  
(B) SACLANT 312013Z MAY 78 (NOTAL)

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1. REFTELS, BEING REPEATED TO ACTION ADDRESSEES, REQUEST  
THAT US ACT AS HOST NATION FOR SYSTEM DESIGN AND PROCURE-  
MENT OF UNIQUE ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT ASSOCIATED WITH  
ESTABLISHING MSK (MULTICHANNEL) BROADCAST CAPABILITY  
AT NATO VLF STATION ANTHORN AND MONITORING CAPABILITY  
AT COMIBERLANT WHQS.

2. OUR FEELING IS THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO DEVIATE FROM  
NORMAL OVERALL HOST NATION TERRITORIAL RESPONSIBILITIES.  
US COULD ASSUME REQUESTED TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT  
RESPONSIBILITY IN A USER NATION CAPABILITY, WITH US  
NAVY NEGOTIATING TECHNICAL DETAILS WITH NATO MILITARY  
COMMANDERS AND HOSTS, AS REQUIRED.

3. YOUR COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS ARE REQUESTED.  
YOUR REPLY SHOULD INCLUDE CINCEASTLANT, COMIBERLANT,

AND USLO SACLANT AS INFO ADDRESSEES.

4. IN VIEW OF DELAY IN RESPONDING TO REFTELS, WOULD  
APPRECIATE YOUR RESPONSE ASAP, BUT NLT JULY 7, 1978.

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